

PERSONAL.

FRANCIS ALBERT CAY LEFT EDINBURGH, Y. N. 26, 1854. A letter from his friends at once sent to him by mail, and no further news was received.

INFORMATION WANTED—OF CARL AND CONRAD. Spring and their sister Catherine, Carl and Margaret, arrived from New York from the Steamer "Hesperus," and are now at the residence of their brother, John Sprague, in New York.

INFORMATION WANTED OF JEREMIAH MURRAY. J. M. is the son of Mr. J. M. Murray, of New York, and is now at the residence of his brother, John Sprague, in New York.

MR. JAMES DOYLE, WHO CAME TO THIS COUNTRY in the ship "Western Empire," will be at the residence of his brother, John Sprague, in New York.

IF THIS SHOULD MEET THE EYE OF EDWARD C. GREENWOOD, formerly of New York, New York, who is now at the residence of his brother, John Sprague, in New York.

LEFT HIS HOME ON SUNDAY, THE 21ST INST., and is now at the residence of his brother, John Sprague, in New York.

NOTICE—MR. DAVID BALDWIN, OF GOODWINVILLE, N. Y., desires to know if Mr. Alexander McCarty, who is now at the residence of his brother, John Sprague, in New York.

THE LECTURE SEASON. DR. C. W. F. KELLEN, OF BOSTON, WILL DELIVER a series of lectures on the subject of "The Human Mind," at the residence of his brother, John Sprague, in New York.

LECTURE ON ELECTRICITY—SEATS FREE. DR. A. P. KELLEN, OF BOSTON, WILL DELIVER a series of lectures on the subject of "Electricity," at the residence of his brother, John Sprague, in New York.

POLITICAL. YOUNG MEN'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLICAN CONVENTION. The Young Men's Democratic Republican Convention will be held at the residence of his brother, John Sprague, in New York.

M. C. LEVY, SECRETARY. T. J. MURPHY, SECRETARY.

THE TURF. UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON WEDNESDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Wednesday, May 24, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON FRIDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Friday, May 26, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON SUNDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Sunday, May 28, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON MONDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Monday, May 29, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON TUESDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Tuesday, May 30, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON WEDNESDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Wednesday, May 31, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON THURSDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Thursday, June 1, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON FRIDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Friday, June 2, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON SATURDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Saturday, June 3, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON SUNDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Sunday, June 4, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON MONDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Monday, June 5, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON TUESDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Tuesday, June 6, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON WEDNESDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Wednesday, June 7, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON THURSDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Thursday, June 8, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON FRIDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Friday, June 9, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON SATURDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Saturday, June 10, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON SUNDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Sunday, June 11, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON MONDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Monday, June 12, 1854.

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UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON WEDNESDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Wednesday, June 14, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON THURSDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Thursday, June 15, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON FRIDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Friday, June 16, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON SATURDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Saturday, June 17, 1854.

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UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON MONDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Monday, June 19, 1854.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—TROTTING ON TUESDAY. The Union Course, L. I., will hold a trotting race on Tuesday, June 20, 1854.

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NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

LORD ELGIN'S VISIT TO WASHINGTON.

THE FISHERY AND RECIPROCITY TREATIES.

More Quarrels of the Administration.

Interesting Proceedings in Congress.

LATER NEWS FROM CALIFORNIA.

FURTHER INTELLIGENCE FROM MEXICO.

REPULSE AND FLIGHT OF SANTA ANNA.

Distracting Casualties at Philadelphia, &c., &c., &c.

Intervening from Washington.

THE OBJECT OF LORD ELGIN IN VISITING THE CAPITAL—RECAPITULATION OF TALKS WITH CANADIAN MEMBERS OF THE ANTI-SLAVERY MEETINGS, &c.

WASHINGTON, May 23, 1854.

We incidentally mentioned yesterday our opinion that Lord Elgin's visit here was not connected with our relations with Spain in any way. To-day we are enabled to state that this opinion is confirmed. It comes here solely with reference to the conclusion of a treaty arranging the northeastern fishery question, and if possible to aid in effecting reciprocal trade between the British Colonies and the United States, by treaty. Mr. Chandler, a commissioner from New Brunswick, accompanied him, as does also Mr. Hinks, the head of the Canadian cabinet. We doubt very much if Lord Elgin will be able to effect the reciprocal arrangement. It has been pressed with great ability by Mr. Crampton, the British minister, and Lord Elgin can bring no new arguments to bear upon the subject. The Executive is of opinion that, in a matter which might so materially affect our revenue, and which would work considerable change in our tariff regulations, it is advisable the legislative branch of the government should be consulted. He is, therefore, disposed to leave the subject of reciprocal trade with Congress, rather than to avoid the action of the House of Representatives by calling in the aid of the treaty-making power alone.

This was also Mr. Fillmore's view of the case; and it is scarcely probable a democratic administration will regard desirous of avoiding legislative action, when a whig administration hesitated in doing so.

We think there would be no difficulty in passing a proper bill for reciprocal trade with the British North American colonies. It is supposed that the South would object to it; but there is no data to base any such supposition upon. Heretofore reciprocity bills have failed solely because of the bungling manner in which they were introduced.

Lord Elgin will probably remain here for a week or ten days.

The opponents of the Nebraska bill take their defeat pretty good-naturedly. It is supposed both houses will adjourn early in a few days, for the purpose of taking up carpets, etc. Nothing will therefore be done next week.

SENATOR BROWN AND THE ADMINISTRATION—JUDGE DOUGLAS TO BE DENOUNCED, &c.

The Union this morning attacks Senator Brown, of Massachusetts, for his speech against the insane vote mentioned in our issue of the 19th inst.

He has been glad to have himself, and his administration, attacked Governor Brown, who had rendered himself obnoxious to the Secretary of War by refusing, after receiving the democratic nomination for Senator, to be bought off by the Havana consulate so as to make room for Jefferson Davis. Governor Brown, as a high minded man, spurned with contempt the offer to bribe him, and hence the bitterness of the organ's attack.

Now that the Nebraska bill has passed, it is said that Judge Douglas is to be denounced by the administration press so as to try and detract from his position as the sole author of that measure. It will be futile. All the administration did was to permit themselves reluctantly to be driven into its support. To Judge Douglas belong all the credit.

APPOINTMENT OF A CHARGE TO BUENOS AYRES—ARRIVAL OF A MESSENGER FROM MADRID, &c.

The Senate have confirmed James A. Tilden as Charge d'Affaires to Buenos Ayres, vice William H. Bissell, deceased; and William H. Davis as Secretary of New Mexico, vice William Messervy, resigned.

Mr. Winslow, the special bearer of despatches from Spain, has reached this city, and is spending a long interview with the Cabinet.

Lieutenant Jerome Bonaparte, U. S. A., has obtained leave of absence, and will visit Paris, by invitation from his grandfather, Prince Jerome Bonaparte.

THIRTY-THIRD CONGRESS. FIRST SESSION. Senate.

WASHINGTON, May 23, 1854.

THE RESOLUTIONS FROM THE CONVENTION OF LEGISLATURES.

MR. TUCKER, (dem.) of Conn., said that yesterday his colleague presented certain resolutions of the Legislature of Connecticut, which he regretted were presented in his absence. By the debate which sprung up on the resolutions, he perceived that his colleague had fallen into an error, as he naturally would, in speaking of the action and sentiments of the democratic party. His colleague was not very intimate with the wishes and sentiments of that portion of his constituents. His colleague had erred in saying that these resolutions had received the support of the democratic members of the Legislature. Not one-fourth of the democratic members voted for the resolutions. Of those democrats who voted for or against the resolutions more than two-thirds voted against them.

MR. MORRIS, (whig) of Pa., moved to refer to the Committee on Naval Affairs the report of the Navy Department on the Penobscot dry dock, basin and railway. He read a long speech on the subject, to show that the contractor had failed to construct the works.

MR. MORRIS resumed, saying he would cheerfully vote a liberal appropriation to remove the dock from the harbor of Penobscot.

Subject referred.

MR. BISHOP, (dem.) of Pa., moved to refer other reports to the subject of docks, &c.

Agreed to.

THE CUBAN TRADE TREATY.

MR. MARION, (dem.) of Va., from the Committee on Foreign Relations, reported the following resolution, which was agreed to:

Resolved, That the President of the United States be and he is authorized to negotiate with the Government of Spain a treaty for the purpose of securing to the citizens of the United States the right of trade with the island of Cuba, and of any trade or other articles of the Spanish Government in the island, or connected with the island.

RECOGNIZING THE INDEPENDENCE OF DOMINICA.

MR. DOUGLASS, (dem.) of Cal., offered the following resolution, which was agreed to:

Resolved, That the President of the United States be and he is authorized to negotiate with the Government of France a treaty for the purpose of securing to the citizens of the United States the right of trade with the island of Cuba, and of any trade or other articles of the French Government in the island, or connected with the island.

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The Reception of the Nebraska Bill.

WASHINGTON, May 23, 1854.

The excitement on the Nebraska question has been succeeded by an extraordinary calmness in all quarters.

RECEIVING AN ANSWER.

WASHINGTON, May 23, 1854.

A national salute was fired here on the receipt of the news of the passage of the Nebraska bill.

STARTLES.

NEW ORLEANS, May 23, 1854.

The Europe's mails came to hand last night, and had a favorable effect on our market for cotton, prices being higher. The sales to-day were 7,000 bales, at a price of 17 1/2 cts. for middling. A sale of 100 bales, for hogs, with sales of 1,200.

COTTON HAS BEEN ACTIVE TO-DAY, THE SALES REACHING 10,000 bales, at a price of 17 1/2 cts. for middling. A sale of 100 bales, for hogs, with sales of 1,200.

Methodist Episcopal Conference at Columbus.

The debate on the subject of the Nebraska bill, which was brought to a close on the sixteenth day of the session, and the Conference proceeded to ballot for the place, with the following result:

THE HOUSE WENT INTO COMMITTEE ON THE NEBRASKA BILL.

Mr. GIBBONS, (free soil) of Ohio, moved that 50,000 copies of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings in the House be printed, to be distributed throughout the country.

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